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**GHAZIABAD, INDIA.**

**REVISED REGULATIONS AND SYLLABUS FOR THE  
BACHELOR OF DENTAL SURGERY DEGREE COURSE - 2011**

**CHAPTER - I**

In exercise of the powers conferred under Clause (J) sub-rule (5) of Rules 27 of the Rules and Bye Laws – 2010 of the Santosh University, Ghaziabad the Academic Council is hereby framed the following regulations and syllabus:

**1. SHORT TITLE OF THE COURSE :**

These regulations shall be called "**REVISED REGULATIONS AND SYLLABUS FOR THE BACHELOR OF DENTAL SURGERY DEGREE COURSE – 2011**" of the Santosh University, Ghaziabad".

The regulations framed are subject to modification by the Academic Council of the Santosh University, Ghaziabad from time to time.

**2. COMMENCEMENT :**

These regulations, curriculum and syllabi are framed as per the guidelines of Dental Council of India's BDS Regulations and are made applicable to the students admitted to the I year BDS degree course under Santosh University from the academic year 2008-09.

**3. ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA :**

**(1) Age limit:**

No candidate shall be allowed to be admitted to the Dental curriculum of First year Bachelor of Dental Surgery (BDS) Degree Course until he / she shall complete the age of 17 years on or before 31st December of the year of admission to the BDS course.

*[ Santosh University - Revised BDS Regulations 2011 – Short Title of the Course – Applicability – Eligibility – Age Limit]*

**(2) Qualifying Examination :**

No candidate shall be allowed to be admitted to the Bachelor of Dental Surgery (BDS) Degree Course until he / she has passed a qualifying examination as under:

- (a) The higher secondary examination or the Indian School Certificate Examination which is equivalent to 10+2 higher Secondary Examination after a period of 12 years study, the last two years of study comprising of Physics, Chemistry, Biology and Mathematics or any other elective subjects with English at a level not less than the core course for English as prescribed by the National Council for Educational Research and Training after the introduction of the 10+2+3 years Educational structure as recommended by the National Committee on education;

**Note:** Where the course content is not as prescribed for 10+2 education structure of the National Committee, the candidates will have to undergo a period of one year pre-professional training before admission to the dental colleges;

or

- (b) The intermediate examination in science of an Indian University/Board or other recognised examining body with Physics, Chemistry and Biology which shall include a practical test in these subjects and also English as a compulsory subject;

or

- (c) The pre-professional / pre-medical examination with Physics, Chemistry and Biology, after passing either the higher secondary school examination, or the pre-university or an equivalent examination. The professional / pre-medical examination shall include a practical test in Physics, Chemistry and Biology and also English as a compulsory subject;

or

- (d) The first year of the three years degree course of a recognised university, with Physics, Chemistry and Biology including a practical test in three subjects provided the examination is a "University Examination" and candidate has passed 10+2 with English at a level not less than a core course;

or

- (e) B.Sc. examination of an Indian University, provided that he/she has passed the B.Sc. examination with not less than two of the following subjects Physics, Chemistry, Biology (Botany, Zoology) and further that he/she has passed the earlier qualifying examination with the following subjects – Physics, Chemistry, Biology and English;

*[ Santosh University - Revised BDS Regulations 2011– Qualifying Examinations ]*

or

- (f) Any other examination which, in scope and standard is found to be equivalent to the intermediate science examination of an Indian University / Board, taking Physics, Chemistry and Biology including practical test in each of these subjects and English.

or

- (g) Candidates who have studied abroad, the equivalent qualification has determined by the Association of Indian Universities, New Delhi, shall form the guidelines to determine the eligibility and should have passed in the subjects of the Physics, Chemistry, Biology (Botany and Zoology) and English up to the 12<sup>th</sup> Standard level with 50% marks aggregate;

**Note:**

~ Marks obtained in Mathematics are not to be considered for admission to BDS Course.

~ After 10+2 course is introduced, the integrated courses should be abolished.

- \* (h) The eligibility criteria for admission to persons with locomotory disability of lower limbs will be minimum of 45% marks instead of 50% taken together in qualifying examination and competitive entrance examination for admission in BDS course.

*\* As per DCI Revised BDS Course [2<sup>nd</sup> Amendment] Regulation, 2010, dated 22<sup>nd</sup> October 2010.*

**4. SELECTION OF STUDENTS ;**

- (a) The selection of students to the Dental College shall be based solely on merit of the candidate on the basis of common entrance examination conducted by the Santosh University. The candidate for admission to the BDS course must have passed in the subjects of Physics, Chemistry, Biology and English individually and must have obtained a minimum of -

(i) 50% marks taken together in Physics, Chemistry and Biology at the qualifying examination and in addition must have come in the merit list prepared as a result of such competitive entrance examination by securing not less than 50% marks in Physics, Chemistry and Biology taken together in the competitive examination.

(ii) In respect of candidates belonging to Scheduled Castes, Scheduled Tribes or Other Backward Classes, the marks obtained in Physics, Chemistry and Biology taken together in qualifying examination and competitive entrance examination be 40% instead of 50% as above and must have qualifying marks in English.

*[ Santosh University - Revised BDS Regulations 2011– Selection of Students ]*

- \* (iii) In respect of persons with locomotory disability of lower limbs will be minimum of 45% marks instead of 50% taken together in qualifying examination and competitive entrance examination for admission in BDS course.

*Provided that a candidate who has appeared in the qualifying examination the result of which has not been declared, he may be provisionally permitted to take up the competitive entrance examination and in case of selection for admission to the BDS course, he shall not be admitted to that course until he fulfills the eligibility criteria as per the above regulations.*

**\* As per DCI Revised BDS Course [2<sup>nd</sup> Amendment] Regulation, 2010, dated 22<sup>nd</sup> October 2010.**

- \*(b) 3% seats of the annual sanctioned intake capacity shall be filled up by candidates with locomotory disability of lower limbs between 50% to 70%.

*Provided that in case any seat in this 3% quota remains unfilled on account of unavailability of limbs between 50% to 70% then any such unfilled seat in this 3% quota shall be filled up by persons with locomotory disability of lower limbs between 40% to 50% before they are included in the annual sanctioned seats for General Category candidates.*

*Provided further that this entire exercise shall be completed by each Dental College as per the statutory time schedule for admissions and in no case any admission will be made in the BDS course after 30<sup>th</sup> of September."*

**\* As per DCI Revised BDS Course [2<sup>nd</sup> Amendment] Regulation, 2010, dated 22<sup>nd</sup> October 2010.**

##### **5. ELIGIBILITY CERTIFICATE :**

No candidate shall be admitted to the 1 year BDS degree course unless the candidate has obtained and produced Eligibility Certificate issued by this University. The candidate has to make an application to the University with the original certificates and Xerox copies of the following documents along with the prescribed fee:

- a. HSC or equivalent (10+2) examination Mark Sheet;
- b. Transfer Certificate;
- c. Community Certificate for SC/ST/OBC candidates and ;
- d. Locomotive Disability of Lower Limbs Certificate.

The candidates should obtain eligibility certificate from the University before the last date for admission to the course and submit the same to the Principal, Santosh Dental College.

**[ Santosh University - Revised BDS Regulations 2011– Eligibility Certificate ]**

## **6. CUT-OFF DATE FOR ADMISSION :**

The candidates admitted up to 30th September shall be registered to take up their I year examination on 1st August/September of the next year and the next examination during August/September of the subsequent year. All kinds of admissions shall be completed on or before 30<sup>th</sup> September of the academic year. There shall not be any admissions after 30th September even if seats are vacant.

## **7. SUBMISSION OF ANTI – RAGGING UNDERTAKING :**

The candidates admitted to the course of study shall furnish, duly countersigned by his/her parent/guardian, an undertaking to the Principal of the college, as per the directions of the Hon'ble Supreme court of India and as per the DCI Anti – Ragging Regulations, that the student shall not indulge in any Ragging activities during his/her period of study and accepting the consequences of such involvement as in **Annexure – I** of this Regulation.

## **8. REGISTRATION OF CANDIDATES :**

A candidate admitted to the 1<sup>st</sup> year BDS degree course of this University shall Register his / her name by submitting the prescribed application form for Registration duly filled along with the original documents, prescribed fee and a Declaration/Undertaking in the formats, as in **Annexure - I, II, III** to the University through the Principal, Santosh Dental College within 60 days from the cut-off date prescribed for admission to the BDS degree course.

## **9. DURATION OF THE COURSE :**

The Undergraduate dental programme leading to BDS Degree Course shall be of 4 [Four] academic years, with 240 teaching days in each academic year, plus one year rotating Internship in a Dental College. Every candidate will be required, after passing the final BDS Examination, to undergo one year paid rotating Internship in a dental college. The internship shall be compulsory and BDS Degree shall be granted after completion of one year paid internship.

**Note:** As per “DCI Revised BDS Course [3<sup>rd</sup> amendment] Regulations, 2011”, dated 25<sup>th</sup> August 2011, all the students admitted from the academic year 2008-09 shall undergo one year Internship after passing final BDS 4 year curriculum.

## **10. SUBJECTS OF STUDY:**

The subjects of study of BDS degree course is divided into five Academic years as follows:

### **(i) I YEAR :**

- a) General Anatomy including Embryology and Histology.
- b) General Human Physiology and Bio Chemistry, Nutrition and Dietics.
- c) Dental Anatomy, Embryology and Oral Histology.
- d) Dental Materials.
- e) Pre-clinical Prosthodontics and Crown & Bridge.

### **(ii) II YEAR :**

- a) General Pathology and Microbiology.
- b) General and Dental Pharmacology and Therapeutics.
- c) Dental Materials.
- d) Pre Clinical Conservative Dentistry.
- e) Pre-Clinical Prosthodontics and Crown & Bridge.
- f) Oral Pathology & Oral Microbiology.

### **(iii) III YEAR :**

- a) General Medicine.
- b) General Surgery.
- c) Oral Pathology and Oral Microbiology
- d) Conservative Dentistry and Endodontics
- e) Oral & Maxillofacial Surgery.
- f) Oral Medicine and Radiology
- g) Orthodontics & Dentofacial Orthopaedics
- h) Paediatrics & Preventive Dentistry
- i) Periodontology
- j) Prosthodontics and Crown & Bridge.

### **(iv) IV YEAR:-**

- a) Orthodontics & Dentofacial Orthopaedics.
- b) Oral Medicine and Radiology.
- c) Paediatrics & Preventive Dentistry.
- d) Periodontology
- e) Oral & Maxillofacial Surgery.
- f) Prosthodontics and Crown & Bridge.
- g) Conservative Dentistry and Endodontics
- h) Public Health Dentistry.

#### **11. COMMENCEMENT OF THE COURSE :**

From 1st September of the Academic year.

#### **12. CURRICULUM:**

The Curriculum and the Syllabi for the course shall be as specified in these Regulations.

#### **13. MEDIUM OF INSTRUCTION :**

English shall be the medium of instruction for all the subjects of study and for examinations.

#### **14. WORKING DAYS IN AN ACADEMIC YEAR:**

Each academic year shall consist of not less than 240 minimum teaching days of eight hours each day of the college working time, including one hour of lunch, is mandatory, vide DCI Amendment Notification dated 25<sup>th</sup> August, 2011..

#### **15. ATTENDANCE REQUIRED FOR ADMISSION TO EXAMINATION :**

- (1) No candidate shall be permitted to anyone of the parts of I BDS Examinations unless he/she has attended the course in the subject for the prescribed period and produces the necessary certificate of study, attendance and progress from the Principal of the College.
- (2) A candidate is required to put in minimum 75% of attendance in both theory and Practical / Clinical separately in each subject before admission to the examination. An undertaking from the student and the parent should be obtained as in **Annexure – III**.
- (3) In case of a subject in which there is no examination at the end of the academic year/semester, the percentage of attendance shall not be less than 70%. However, at the time of appearing for the professional examination in the subject, the aggregate percentage of attendance in the subject should satisfy subject, the aggregate percentage of attendance in the subject should satisfy condition (2) above.
- (4) A candidate lacking in the prescribed attendance in any one subject in the first appearance shall be denied admission to the entire examination.
- (5) Failed candidates who are not promoted to the next phase of study are required to put in minimum 75% of attendance during the extended period of study before appearing for the next examination.

*[ Santosh University - Revised BDS Regulations 2011– Commencement of the Course – Curriculum – Medium of Instruction – Working days in a year – Attendance requirement ]*

- (6) Attendance earned by the student should be displayed on the Notice Board of the concerned Department and college at the end of every 3 months and a copy of the same should be sent to the University and parent of the student concerned.
- (7) The monthly attendance of the students shall be received by the Principal of the college from the HODs concerned on or before second day of every month and the consolidated percentage of attendance of all the candidates shall be displayed on the college notice board and a copy sent to the Controller of Examinations of the University within 5 days from the date of completion of the internal theory/practical examinations.
- (8) The parents of the candidate who have secured less than 75% of attendance in the first internal examination shall be informed. If such candidate has not improved his/her attendance in the subsequent internal examinations also, the parent concerned may be called for to meet the Principal of the college along with the student concerned to get an undertaking as in both from the parent/guardian and the student concerned stating that his/her ward will improve the attendance at 75% failing which the student will not be eligible to apply for the University examination.

#### **16. CONDONATION OF LACK OF ATTENDANCE :**

The Condonation of shortage of attendance up to a maximum of 5% in the prescribed eligible attendance for admission to an examination rests with the discretionary powers of the Vice Chancellor. A candidate lacking the attendance shall submit an application in the prescribed form along with the stipulated fee as prescribed from time to time, 15 days prior to the commencement of theory examinations. The Head of the Department and the Principal of the College should satisfy themselves on the reasonableness of the candidate's request while forwarding the application with their endorsement to the Controller of Examination who would obtain the Vice-Chancellor's approval for Condonation of attendance and admission to the examination. No application would be reviewed if it is not forwarded through proper channel.

The Condonation for lack of attendance shall be taken up for consideration under the following circumstances:

- (1) Any illness afflicting the candidate, the candidate should submit to the Principal of the college a Medical Certificate from a registered Medical Practitioner soon after he/she returns to the institutions after treatment.

*[ Santosh University - Revised BDS Regulations 2011– Condonation of Attendance ]*



- (2) Any unforeseen tragedy in the family. The parent/guardian should give in writing the reasons for the ward's absence to the Principal of the college;
- (3) 50% of marks in Internal Assessment is compulsory for Condonation of lack of attendance.

## **17. EXAMINATIONS:**

### **(1) Preface:**

- (a) Evaluation is a continuous process, which is based upon criteria developed by the concerned authorities with certain objectives to assess the performance of the learner. This also indirectly helps in the measurement of effectiveness and quality of the concerned BDS Programme.
- (b) Evaluation is achieved by two processes –
- (i) Formative or internal assessment;
  - (ii) Summative or University examinations.
    - Formative evaluations done through a series of tests and examinations conducted periodically by the Institution.
    - Summative evaluation is done by the University through examination conducted at the end of the specified course.

### **(2) Methods of Evaluation:**

Evaluation may be achieved by the following tested methods :

- a. Written Test ;
- b. Practical ;
- c. Clinical examination ;
- d. Viva voce.

## **18. INTERNAL EVALUATION :**

- (1) The Internal Evaluation should be done for all the years of study as detailed below: -
- |                              |   |          |
|------------------------------|---|----------|
| First IA Examination         | - | December |
| Second IA Examination        | - | April    |
| Pre-Professional Examination | - | July     |
- (2) The Internal Evaluation consists of the following points -
- a) Theory
  - b) Practical / Clinical
  - c) Viva Voce

All the details regarding Internal Evaluation and Attendance should be sent to the University at the end of I, and II Internal Evaluation and similarly after the Pre-Professional Examination. The average of the Theory / Practical / Clinical & Oral should be added and the aggregate must be taken and sent to the University as Internal Assessment Marks. Minimum 50% Internal Assessment marks and minimum 75% attendance are required to become eligible to apply for the University examinations.

- (i) After completion of the each Internal Examination, the marks and the attendance percentage scored must be exhibited periodically on the Notice Board of the College for information of the student and a copy sent to his / her parent / guardian for their knowledge on the performance of their son / daughter / ward.
- (ii) A failed candidate in any subject should be provided an opportunity to improve his / her internal assessment marks by conducting a minimum of two examinations in theory and practical separately and the average, be considered for improvement.
- (iii) The consolidated Internal Assessment marks scored out of the total marks (both in theory, practical and viva taken together) should be submitted to the Controller of Examinations of the University duly endorsed by the Principal of the College, fifteen days prior to the commencement of the theory examinations.
- (iv) A candidate should obtain a minimum of 50% marks in Internal Assessment in a subject to permit him / her to appear for the University examination in that subject.
- (v) 10% of the total marks in each subject for both theory, practical and clinical examination separately should be set aside for the internal assessment examinations.

## **19. UNIVERSITY EXAMINATIONS:**

### **(1) Commencement of Examination :**

- a. September 1st / March 1st.
- b. Theory examinations not to be held on Sunday. If the date of commencement of the examination falls on a public holiday, the next working day will be the date of commencement of examination.

*[ Santosh University - Revised BDS Regulations 2011 – University Examinations – Commencement of Examination ]*

## **(2) Scheme of Examination :**

The examination shall be open to a candidate who satisfies the requirements of attendance, progress and other rules laid down by the University. Certificate to the above effect should be produced from the Principal of the Santosh Dental College by the candidate along with the application for examination and the prescribed fee. The Scheme of Examination for the B.D.S. degree course shall be divided into five Professional Examinations, namely -

**(a) I BDS -** Professional Examinations consist of the following subjects at the end of one year from the date of commencement of the 1<sup>st</sup> year course -

- i) Paper I - General Anatomy including Embryology and Histology.
- ii) Paper II - General Human Physiology and Bio Chemistry.
- iii) Paper III - Dental Anatomy, Embryology and Oral Histology.

**(b) II BDS -** Professional Examinations consist of the following subjects at the end of one year from the date of commencement of the 2<sup>nd</sup> year course -

- i) Paper I - General Pathology and Microbiology.
- ii) Paper II - General and Dental Pharmacology and Therapeutics.
- iii) Paper III - Dental Materials.
- iv) Paper IV - Pre Clinical Conservative – Only Practical and Viva Voce.
- v) Paper V - Pre-Clinical Prosthodontics – Only Practical and Viva Voce.

**(c) III BDS –** Professional Examinations consist of the following subjects at the end of one year from the date of commencement of the 3<sup>rd</sup> year course.

- i) Paper I - General Medicine.
- ii) Paper II - General Surgery.
- iii) Paper III - Oral Pathology and Oral Microbiology.

**(d) IV BDS –** Professional Examinations consist of the following subjects at the end of one year from the date of commencement of the 4<sup>th</sup> year course -

- i) Paper I - Public Health Dentistry.
- ii) Paper II - Periodontology.
- iii) Paper III - Orthodontics & Dentofacial Orthopaedics.
- iv) Paper IV - Oral Medicine and Radiology.
- v) Paper V - Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery.
- vi) Paper VI - Conservative Dentistry and Endodontic
- vii) Paper VII - Prosthodontics and Crown & Bridge.
- viii) Paper VIII - Paediatric & Preventive Dentistry.

### **(3) Written Examination:**

- (a) The written examination in each subject shall consist of one paper of three hours duration and shall have maximum marks of 70.
- (b) In the subjects of Physiology & Biochemistry and Pathology & Microbiology each paper will be divided into two parts – Part- A and Part-B of equal marks.
- (c) The question paper should contain different types of questions like essay, short answer and objective type / MCQs.
- (d) The nature of questions set, should be aimed to evaluate students of different standards ranging from average to excellent.
- (e) The questions should cover as broad an area of the content of the course. The long questions should be properly structure and the marks specifically allotted.
- (f) The University may set up a question bank.

### **(4) Records Book / Log Book :**

The candidate should be given credit for his records based on the scores obtained in the record. The marks obtained for the record in the first appearance can be carried over to the subsequent appearance, if necessary.

### **(5) Objective Structured Clinical Evaluation:**

The clinical and practical examination should provide a number of chances for the candidate to express one's skills. This can include 4 clinical procedures, laboratory experiments, spotters etc. Evaluation must be made objective and structured. The method of objective and structured clinical examinations should be followed. This will avoid examiner bias because both the examiner and the examinee are given specific instructions on what is to be observed at each station.

### **(6) Scheme of Clinical and Practical Examinations:**

The specific scheme of clinical and practical examinations, the type of clinical procedure / experiments to be performed and marks allotted for each are to be discussed and finalized by the Chairman and other examiners and it is to be published prior to the conduct of the examinations along with the publication of the time table for the practical examinations. This scheme should be brought to the notice of the external examiner as and when the examiner reports. The practical and clinical examinations should be evaluated by two examiners of which one shall be an external examiner appointed from other universities preferably outside the State. Each candidate should be evaluated by each examiner independently and marks computed at the end of the examination.

### **(7) Viva Voce:**

Viva voce is an excellent mode of assessment because it permits a fairly broad coverage and it can assess the problem solving capacity of the student. An assessment related to the affective domain is also possible through viva voce. It is desirable to conduct the viva voce independently by each examiner. In order to avoid vagueness and to maintain uniformity of standard and coverage, questions can be pre-formulated before administering them to each student. Twenty marks are exclusively allotted for viva voce and that can be divided equally amongst the examiners, i.e. 10 marks per examiners.

### **20. QUALIFICATION AND EXPERIENCE TO BE ELIGIBLE FOR EXAMINERSHIP FOR BDS:**

1. MDS degree from a recognised Institution;
2. 4 years teaching experience in the subject in a dental college after MDS;
3. Should be holding the post of a Reader or above in a Dental Institution approved / recognised by the Dental Council of India for B.D.S.

#### **Note:**

- (a) In case of Public Health Dentistry, as there is acute shortage of teachers one examiner from Public Health Dentistry and the second one could be from Periodontics / Pedodontics.
- (b) In case of Physiology and Biochemistry if Internal Examiner is from Physiology, the External Examiner should be from Biochemistry or vice versa.
- (c) In case of Pathology and Microbiology, if Internal Examiner is from Pathology, External Examiner should be from Microbiology or vice versa.
- (d) In case of Dental Materials, if Internal is from Prosthodontics, external should be from Conservative Dentistry and vice versa.
- (d) 50% of Examiners appointed shall be external from a recognised Dental Institutions approved / recognised by the Dental Council of India for the BDS course from other University, preferably from outside the State.
- (e) Reciprocal arrangement of Examiners should be avoided. i.e. the Internal Examiner in a subject should not accept examinership for a college from which the External Examiner is appointed in his subject for the corresponding period.
- (f) No person shall be an External Examiner to the same University for more than 3 consecutive years. However, if there is a break of one year the person can be reappointed.

*[ Santosh University - Revised BDS Regulations 2011– University Examinations – Viva Voce – Qualification & Experience for Examinership ]*

## **21. UNIVERSITY EXAMINATION :**

**(1) ALLOCATION OF MARKS:** Each subject shall have a maximum of 200 marks:

1. Theory	...	...	...	100 Marks
2. Practical / Clinical	...	...	...	100 Marks

**(2) DISTRIBUTION OF MARKS :**

			<u>Theory</u>	<u>Practical/ Clinical</u>
University exam	...	...	70 Marks	90 Marks
Viva Voce	...	...	20 Marks	-
Internal Assessment (Written)	...	...	10 Marks	10 Marks
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Total	...	...	100 Marks	100 Marks
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**(3) PRACTICAL AND VIVA VOCE ONLY IN UNIVERSITY EXAMINATION:**

In respect of Pre – Clinical Prosthodontics and Pre – clinical Conservative Dentistry the Marks distribution is as follows:

Internal Assessment	..	..	20 Marks
Practical	..	..	60 Marks
Viva Voce	..	..	20 Marks
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Total	..	..	100 Marks
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## **22. CRITERIA FOR A PASS:**

(1) Fifty percent of the total marks in any subject computed as aggregate for theory, i.e. written, viva voce and internal assessment and practical including internal assessment separately are essential for a pass in all years of study.

(2) For declaration of pass in a subject, a candidate shall secure 50% marks in the University examination both in Theory and Practical / Clinical examinations separately, as stipulated below :

~ A candidate shall secure 50% marks in aggregate in University theory including viva voce and Internal assessment obtained in University written examination combined together.

~ In the University Practical – clinical examination, a candidate shall secure 50% of University practical marks and Internal Assessment combined together.

50% Marks in the University Written (Theory) including IA	...	50/100
50% Marks in the University Practical examination including IA	...	<u>50/100</u>
Total for a pass in a subject	...	<u>100/200</u>

*[ Santosh University - Revised BDS Regulations 2011– University Examinations – Allocation of Marks – Criteria for a pass – Grace Marks ]*

~ In case of Pre-clinical Prosthetic Dentistry and Pre-Clinical Conservative Dentistry in II BDS, where there is no written examination, minimum for pass is 50% of marks in Practical and Viva voce combined together in University examination including Internal Assessment i.e. 50/100.

**(3) Grace Marks:** Grace marks up to a maximum of 5 marks may be awarded to the students who have failed only in one subject but passed in all other subjects.

### **23. RE-TOTALING:**

There is no provision for re-evaluation of answer papers. However, only re-totalling is allowed in the failed subjects. The objective of re-totalling is to ensure to minimize human error in extenuating circumstances.

The University on application and remittance of a stipulated fee shall be allowed for Re-totalling the marks received for various questions in an answer paper / papers for theory of all subjects for which the candidate has appeared in the University examination. Any error in addition of the marks awarded if identified should be suitably rectified.

However, re-totalling is allowed on payment of prescribed fee within 15 days from the date of receipt of Mark Sheet through the Principal of the college.

### **24. EXEMPTION IN PASSED SUBJECTS :**

Any candidate who fails in an examination but obtain pass mark in any subject(s), shall be exempted from re-examination in that subject (s).

### **25. CARRY OVER OF FAILED SUBJECTS:**

- (a) Any candidate who fails in one subject in an Examination is permitted to go to the next higher class and appears for the said failed subject and complete it successfully before he is permitted to appear for the next higher examination.
- (b) **In the subjects of Pre-Clinical Prosthodontics and Pre-Clinical Conservative** - Any candidate who fails in one subject in an Examination is permitted to go to the next higher class and appears for the said failed subject and complete it successfully before he is permitted to appear for the next higher examination.
- (c) **In the subject of Oral Pathology and Oral Microbiology** - Any candidate who fails in one subject in an Examination is permitted to go to the next higher class and appears for the subject and complete it successfully before he is permitted to appear for the next higher examination.
- (d) A Declaration in this regard to abide the Rules and Regulations of the Dental Council of India and the Santosh University as in **Annexure III** shall be furnished.

*[ Santosh University - Revised BDS Regulations 2011– University Examinations – Re-Totalling – Exemption in passed subjects – Carry over of failed subjects ]*

## **26. RE-ADMISSION AFTER BREAK OF STUDY :**

As per the procedure laid down in a common Regulation for all the Under-graduate and Post-graduate courses of this University.

## **27. CLASSIFICATION OF SUCCESSFUL CANDIDATES:**

Successful candidates who obtain 65% of the total marks or more shall be declared to have passed the examination in First Class. Other successful candidates will be placed in Second Class. A candidate who obtain 75% and above is eligible for Distinction. Only those candidates who pass the whole examination in the first attempt will be eligible for distinction or class.

## **28. MIGRATION / TRANSFER OF CANDIDATES:**

- (1) Migration from one recognised Dental College to another recognised Dental College is not a right of a student. However, migration of students from one recognised Dental College to another recognised Dental College within India may be considered by the Dental Council of India only in exceptional cases on extreme compassionate grounds, provided the following criteria are fulfilled. Routine migrations on other grounds shall not be permitted.
- (2) Both the Colleges, i.e. one at which the student is studying at present and the one to which the Migration is sought for are recognised by the Dental Council of India.
- (3) The applicant candidate should have passed first professional B.D.S. examination.
- (4) The application candidate submits his application for Migration, complete in all respects, along with the Proforma as in **Annexure-IV** to all the authorities concerned within a period of one month of passing the First Professional Bachelor of Dental Surgery (B.D.S.) Examination, the period being counted from the date of declaration of the results.
- (5) The applicant must submit an affidavit (as in **Annexure - V**) duly sworn in before the 1st Class Magistrate stating that he / she will pursue 240 days of prescribed study before appearing for the II professional Bachelor of Dental Surgery (B.D.S.) Examination at the transferee Dental College. The affidavit should be duly certified by the Registrar of the concerned University to which he/she is seeking transfer. The transfer will be applicable after receipt of the affidavit.



**NOTE:**

- (a) Migration is permitted only in the beginning of 2<sup>nd</sup> year BDS course in recognised Institution.
- (b) All applications for migration will be referred to Dental Council of India by the college authorities. No Institution / University shall allow migrations directly without the prior approval of the Council.
- (c) The Council reserved the right, not to entertain any application which is not under the prescribed following compassionate grounds and also to take independent decisions where applicant has been allowed to migrate without referring the same to the Council:
  - i) Death of supporting guardian;
  - ii) Disturbed conditions as declared by Government in the Dental College area.

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